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Resurfacing, Sidewalk Improvement Project on Vermont Street from Francisco Avenue to Irving Avenue

CHICAGO – The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) announced that lane closures will take place on Vermont Street between Francisco Avenue and Irving Avenue, in Blue Island, beginning, weather permitting, the week of Monday, August 14. The closures are necessary for a resurfacing and sidewalk improvement project along Vermont Street.

In order to complete the work, daily lane closures will take place on Vermont Street from Francisco Avenue to Irving Avenue. Vermont Street will be reduced to one lane in each direction while construction activities are taking place. Parking lanes will have temporary restrictions as well.

The scope of the project consists of resurfacing, pavement patching, curb and gutter replacement and new pavement markings. It also includes sidewalk removal and replacement to improve pedestrian safety.

The project is expected to be completed in Fall 2017.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to flaggers and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits and be on the alert for workers and equipment.

Click [here](#) to find details on other construction projects in IDOT's District 1. Updates on the impacts to traffic are available at www.travelmidwest.com

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